

Topside View


Underside View

## Stream

MA208.A.AB. 007
Specification

| Part No. | MA208.A.AB. 007 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Product Name | Stream <br> GPS and LTE/GSM/UMTS <br> (2G/3G/4G 700Mhz to $960 \mathrm{MHz} / 1710 \mathrm{MHz}$ to 2200 MHz ) <br> Combination Antenna |
| Feature | Adhesive Mount IP67 Antenna <br> GPS: 3M RG-174 Fakra Code C Blue <br> Cellular: 3M CFD-200 Fakra Code D Violet <br> $1.8 \sim 5.5 \mathrm{~V} / 30 \mathrm{~dB}$ <br> $200.5^{*} 66.5 * 9 \mathrm{~mm}$ <br> RoHS Compliant |

## 1. Introduction

The Stream MA. 208 GPS/LTE Cellular antenna is a low profile, heavy-duty, fully IP67 waterproof external M2M antenna for use by RF professionals in telematics, transportation and remote monitoring applications. The Stream is unique in the market as it combines the highest possible efficiency and peak gain for GPS and all cellular bands in 2G/3G/4G in a low profile compact format for mounting via high quality first tier automotive approved 3M adhesive foam

The patent pending design incorporates internally a custom Taoglas 35mm patch antenna on an extended integral ground-plane to deliver more than
3.5dBiC gain. A front-end SAW filter dramatically reduces radiated spurious emissions. The extended ground-plane used with an innovative internal cellular PIFA also enables the unique wide-band 2G/3G/4G response to deliver the highest performance possible, at 3 metres cable length Nothing else out there comes close in terms of consistency of efficiency and peak gain at all cellular bands, with an awesome 70\%+ at the LTE 700MHz band again including 3 metres of cable loss. High antenna efficiencies are absolutely critical in today's 3G and 4G systems to achieving targeted data-speeds and coverage

All this is done while still maintaining 20dB isolation between antennas The Stream uses high-shielded PTFE dielectric ultra low-loss cables that maintain low attenuation at all frequency bands, and high noise rejection, with an average loss of only 0.3 dB per meter (0.1dB per foot), compared to 0.7 dB for RG58 and 1.2dB for RG174.

Because of this, the Stream maximizes chances of passing PTCRB and network approvals first time. The Stream works best when attached to plastic or glass, but can also be used on metal if some foam spacing is added.

## 2. System Configuration

This antenna specification covers the LTE/GSM/UMTS Full band for $700 \mathrm{MHz} \sim 960 \mathrm{MHz}, 1710 \mathrm{MHz} \sim 2170 \mathrm{MHz}$ and GPS (L1 Band).


## 3. Specification

| Parameter | GPS Antenna | Cellutar Antenna |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Features | High performance GPS 35*35*4mm | LTE - 700MHz |
|  | ceramic patch antenna with | CDMA: 824~896MHz |
|  | two stage high gain LNA | GSM: 880~960MHz |
|  | $1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{MHz}$ | DCS: 1710~1880MHz |
|  |  | PCS: 1850~1990MHz |
|  |  | 3G: 1920~2170MHz |
| Gain | 3.5dBic typ @ Zenith | Average: -3.03dBi at $700 \sim 960 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | -4.34 dBi at 1710~2170MHz |
|  |  | Peak: 2.16 dBi at 700~960MHz |
|  |  | 0.42 dBi at 1710~2170MHz |
| Polarization | RHCP | Linear |
| VSWR |  | 3.3 Max. at $700 \sim 960 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | 3.6 Max. at 1710~1850MHz |
|  |  | 2.2 Max. at 1880~2170MHz |
| Impedance | $50 \Omega$ | $50 \Omega$ |
| Efficiency |  | $\geq 68 \%$ @ 700MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 72 \%$ @ 750MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 66 \%$ @ 824MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 56 \%$ @ 890MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 61 \%$ @ 880MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 53 \%$ @ 960MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 37 \%$ @1710MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 51 \%$ @1880MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 55 \%$ @1990MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 54 \%$ @ 2110 MHz |
|  |  | $\geq 45 \%$ @ 2170 MHz |

### 3.2 Cable and Connectors (Fully Customisable)

| Parameter | GPS Antenna | Cellular Antenna |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Cable | 3 m RG-174 Cable | CFD-200 Cable |
| Connector | Fakra Code C Blue Connector | Fakra Code D Violet Connector |

### 3.3 Mechanical Data

Parameter

| Housing | UV resistant PVC |
| :--- | :--- |
| Adhesive Mount | $3 \mathrm{M} 1600 \mathrm{~TB}\left(196.57^{*} 62.57^{\star} 1.25 \mathrm{~mm}\right)$ |
| Protection Class | IP-67 |
| Operation Temperature | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Storage Temperature | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Relative Humidity | $20 \%$ to $95 \%$ |
| Weight per unit | 0.18 kg |

*Note: specifications may be subject to change

## 4. Axial Ratio

### 4.1 With IPEX Cable



Pattern 1 Model No. MA208.A.AB. 007
Test Mode

Axial Ratio
0.06 / 15.14
-16.87 / 204.77
-4.51

Source Polar.
CP
4. Axial Ratio

### 4.2 3M CFD-200 Cable



Pattern
1

Model No.
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| Test Mode | Freq (MHz) |
| :---: | :---: |
| Axial Ratio | 1575.42 |

Max Gain(dBi)
-3.19 / 4.61 -34.89/178.75
-34.89 / 178.75
Avg. Gain(dBi)
-8.79

Source Polar.
CP
5. Radiation Patterns

### 5.1 Radiation Pattern in XZ plane


5. Radiation Patterns

### 5.2 Radiation Pattern in YZ plane


5. Radiation Patterns

### 5.3 Radiation Pattern in XY plane



## 6. VSWR



## 7. Efficiency



Frequency (MHz)

GSM / UMTS Band Efficiency (with length 3 meter CFD-200 Cable)

## 8. Average Gain



Frequency (MHz)

GSM / UMTS Average Gain (with length 3 meter CFD-200 Cable)

## 9. Peak Gain



GSM / UMTS Peak Gain (with length 3 meter CFD-200 Cable)

## 10. LNA

Parameter

| Frequency Range | $1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{Mhz}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Output Impedance | $50 \Omega$ |
| Output Power at 1dB Compression Point | -35 dBm typ. |
| Output VSWR | 2.0 Max. |

Supply Voltage
1.8 V
3.0 V
5.5 V
Gain(Typ)
27.0 dB
32.9 dB
33.8 dB

Noise Figure(Typ)
2.2dB
2.3 dB
2.5 dB

Power Consumption (Typ.)
5.5 mA
12.5 mA
15.0 mA

## 11. LNA Noise Figure at 3.0 V



## 12. LNA Gain and Output of VSWR at 3.0V



Ch1 Tr1 S21

1.5754200 GHz

32.936 dB

$\begin{array}{lll}\text { Ch1 Tr2 S21 } & 1.5754200 \mathrm{GHz} & 1.2368\end{array}$

## 13. GPS Antenna Specifications (Through Antenna, LNA and Cable Assembly)

| Parameter |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Frequency Range | $1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{Mhz}$ |
| Gain at 3.0 V | $32.5 \mathrm{dBic} @$ Zenith |
| Output VSWR | 2.0 Max. |
| Output Impedance | $50 \Omega$ |

14. 20 dB min isolation to GPS LNA input and LTE / GSM / UMTS ANTENNA

Tr1 S12 Log Mag 10.00dB/ Ref 0.000dB [F2]


IFBW 1 kHz
Span 200 MHz Cor

## 15. Drawing



### 15.1 Separate Adhesive Pad



## 16. Packaging



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